

# BRITONS ARE HIGHLY DISTURBED BY WAR CLOUDS RISING IN FAR EAST.

## JAPAN, ITS ALLY, IS CASUS BELLI.

### The Failure of Russia

To Move Is Considered Primal Cause  
For Japanese Movements.

### Legations Are In Ignorance.

Japanese Minister In Washington Is Being Ad-  
vised By Cablegrams of Situation, and Re-  
alizing Its Gravity, He Is Acting With  
the Utmost Caution Concerning It.

BERLIN, OCT. 12.—A DESPATCH FROM SHANGHAI TO THE FRANKFURTER ZEITUNG STATES THAT NEWS HAS REACHED THERE FROM CHE FOO TO THE EFFECT THAT THE JAPANESE HAVE OCCUPIED MA-SAN-PHO. AND THAT AN OFFICIAL DECLARATION OF WAR IS EXPECTED.

THE RELATIONS BETWEEN JAPAN AND RUSSIA HAVE REACHED A CRISIS ACCORDING TO THE OFFICIAL VIEW HERE. THE EXACT NATURE OF THE EXCHANGES BETWEEN THE TWO GOVERNMENTS THAT BROUGHT THE PRESENT TENSION APPEAR TO BE UNKNOWN AT THE LEGATIONS OF THE TWO COUNTRIES HERE OR AT THE GERMAN LEGATIONS AT ST. PETERSBURG AND TOKIO, ALTHOUGH IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT GREAT BRITAIN IS PRIVY TO JAPAN'S MOVEMENTS.

PUBLICATION  
Of Dispatch Is Considered Significant  
Japan's Strength Published.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 12.—Significance is attached here to the fact that the official messenger and the Journal, De St. Petersburg, printed the Berlin local Anzeigers despatch relating to the movement of Russian fleet, and the possible coincident landing of Russian and Japanese troops in different parts of Korea. Several newspapers published reviews of Japan's military and naval strength. The cancellation of the projected visit of the Czar to Rome, is said to be due to the attitude of the Italian press and socialist deputies.

JAPANESE  
Minister In London Has No Information Indicating War.

London, Oct. 12.—Regarding the rumors of Japanese ultimatum to Russia Baron Hayashi, the Japanese minister to Great Britain, in an interview today said he had no information of such a character, adding that had Japan taken this action, "The Anglo Japanese treaty would have been immediately annulled so that he might inform the British government."

Foreign Office Has No Reports.  
The foreign office says it has no information of the reports of Japanese military movements in Korea. Japan has a special settlement, covering 650 acres, at Chapokpo, near Ma-San-Pho, granted to her by Korea, in November 1901, as an offset to the settlement at Ma-San-Pho previously granted to Russia by Korea.

GREAT BRITAIN  
Will Perform Be Involved, and There Is Great Dispute.

London, Oct. 12.—In spite of the re-

assuring statements of the foreign office and Baron Hayashi, the frequent reiteration that hostilities between Russia and Japan are imminent, the mysterious movements of the Russian and Japanese fleets, the excited state of public opinion in Japan are disquieting Great Britain, which by reason of her alliance with Japan, is so immediately concerned in any action which the latter may take in the far east. Only the most sanguine persons believe that in the event of hostilities they could be kept within the limits which would free Great Britain from her obligations to support her Japanese ally. Even Baron Hayashi who heretofore has ridiculed all suggestion of war, is not so optimistic today.

Indirectly he admits the possibility of war by expressing the hope that in the event of action Japan will have the sympathy of Great Britain. By refusing to credit the reports of an ultimatum, Baron Hayashi admitted that the diplomatic situation had changed since Oct. 8 and that the developments may have arisen from the failure of the Russians to keep their engagement to evacuate Manchuria on that date. He, however, had heard nothing from his government on the subject. Che Foo, the source of the latest alarming news is several hundred miles from Ma-San-Pho, so the reports of Japanese military movements there are likely to be a repetition of similar stories circulated last week, which later accounts minimized.

LEGATION  
Not Advised That Japan Has Committed Act of War.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Aside from extraordinary preparations by both nations, the Japanese legation here is not advised that either Russia or Japan has as yet committed any act of war. The Japanese minister is being advised by cablegrams from Tokio of the situation and realizing its gravity, he is moving with great caution. The negotiations between Russia and Japan, according to his advice, are now in progress there.

HE WILL NOT FIGHT.

New York, Oct. 12.—Comptroller Groat has finally decided not to make a legal fight to keep his name on the fusion ticket as a candidate for reelection to the position which he now fills. He made public a brief statement today in which he declared that while he considered the action of the republican city convention in withdrawing him as a candidate to be illegal he would not institute any proceedings in the courts.

EXTRA SESSION WILL MEET NOVEMBER NINTH.

Washington, Oct. 12.—It has been announced today that the call for the extraordinary session of congress to meet November 9th, will be issued, probably on the 26th inst.

### STATIONARY ENGINEERS TIE UP MANY PLANTS.

East Liverpool, O., Oct. 12.—All of the stationary engineers of this city belonging to the International Union, went on a strike today. All manufacturing industries in the city are affected.

The strike was declared because of the manufacturers refusing to recognize the union. It is not thought the trouble will be of long duration.

### HEARING POSTPONED.

Binghamton, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The examination of Senator Geo. E. Green, indicted for alleged complicity in the postal frauds, which had been set for today, before the United States Commissioner Hall, had been postponed until Nov. 5.

### CAPTAIN'S REPORT MIGHTY BAD WEATHER.

New York, Oct. 12.—Incoming steamers from European and coastwise ports today reported the most severe weather during the last three days. Captains report worst weather experienced on the coast in many years.

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### OLD BOARD RE-ELECTED.

Philadelphia, Oct. 12.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Co., was held here today. The old board of directors of the Reading Company, was re-elected. A meeting of the board of directors of the Reading Company will be held on Wednesday. It is expected a dividend will be declared on the second preferred stock.

### COURT CONVENED.

Washington, Oct. 12.—The United States supreme court today convened for the October term but without

transacting any business beyond the admission of a number of attorneys. Adjourned to make a formal call upon the president following the usual custom.

### MANY MASONS ARE WENDING

Their Way to Akron to Attend a Meeting of the Grand Bodies Tuesday and Wednesday.

Akron, O., Oct. 12.—Masons of high degree began to arrive in Akron today for attendance upon the meeting of two grand bodies to be held in Akron this week. Tuesday, the 13th annual assembly of the grand council, royal and select masters of Ohio, will be held, and Wednesday the 87th annual association of the grand chapter, royal arch masons. The session will be largely secret and consist entirely of business, but the local masons will tender the grand council a banquet on Tuesday evening, and the grand chapter one on Wednesday evening.

## EXTENT OF DAMAGE

Caused By Great Flood is Just Beginning To Be Realized.

Thousands Who Are Without Food or Shelter Will Not Be Allowed to Return to Their Homes Because of their Unsanitary Condition.

Paterson, N. J., Oct. 12.—The people of this unfortunate city are beginning to realize the extent of the great flood which began last Friday. Nearly two entire wards taking in the manufacturing section have been under water since that day. This morning, thousands of men, women and children employed in different mills and factories, found they could not go to work on account of those places being shut down. A great many of these people have also been driven from their homes and have neither food nor shelter. The heaviest damage in Paterson, was to the manufacturers. At present, it is impossible to give an accurate idea of the total loss, but conservative estimates are about two millions. The police and firemen have been steadily engaged since Saturday morning in the work of rescuing from many upper floors or the roofs of their houses in the flooded districts and the work is still going on. Today the water continued to fall and there did not seem to be any danger of further damage being done unless another severe storm should set in. There are still many blocks under water and an examination of the

flooded districts cannot be made until the water disappears. The people who were forced to leave their homes will not be allowed to return until the districts are in a better condition.

Conditions Improved.  
Passaic, N. J., Oct. 12.—The flood conditions in this city and vicinity were considerably improved today. The high water mark at the Dundee Dam which was 91 1/2 inches at midnight, had fallen two feet today. All danger of a break at the dam is now thought to be past.

Four or five hundred residents of Wallington are being sheltered in the school buildings at Passaic. The flood damage in this city is estimated at about \$2,000,000 without any insurance.

At Buttonville fifty or more houses were washed from their foundations and many overturned and wrecked. The Erie railroad bridge is now out of danger, but a big washout at Clifton blocks all traffic. The railroad company is rigging up a temporary trestle, however, and traffic may possibly be resumed by tonight. Trolley connections between Passaic and Paterson have been restored.

## AGREEMENT IS PROBABLE.

Feeling In London Is Strong That Commission Will Do Something.

London, Oct. 12.—The last seige of the Alaskan boundary arbitration began today when the commissioners were in secret session to consider their verdict. Senator Lodge and Prof. Sir Louis Jetté, one of the Canadian commissioners were early on hand. Secretary Root and Senator Turner followed them into the cabinet room of the foreign office.

Later Commissioner Aylesworth of Canada who had been in the country put in an appearance.

No decision is expected today. Nothing can be known definitely, but a very hopeful feeling prevails in American circles. A significant reflex of this appears in today's Times.

Dealing with the difficulties encountered in the selection of a new British ambassador to the United States and the irritation which he would have to face both in Canada and the United States if the Alaskan tribunal brought up with a disagreement, the Times says: "We rejoice to say that there is believed to be something more than a possibility that an award may be agreed upon, or rather that seven questions may be so answered as to end the matter."

The commissioners will sit daily from 11 a. m. until 1:30 p. m., when they will adjourn for lunch.

### CHILD OUTRAGED AND MURDERED.

Wilmington, Del., Oct. 12.—Mary Koskiski, aged 13 years, daughter of Polish parents, was found dead in a ditch, within a few squares of her home on Bradford street in south Wilmington, early today, and investigation showed that she had been outraged and thrown into the water. From the fact that she had been assisting a sick neighbor last evening, her parents supposed she was spending the night there, and made no inquiry when she failed to return home. The police officials are without a clue.

### TOOK ROUGH ON RATS' ROUTE.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 12.—Chas. Lyon, a brakeman from Pittsburg, was taken here early today suffering from convulsions. Later he died in frightful agony at a hospital.

Doctors used a stomach pump on the man, but were unable to save his life. They say he had swallowed rough on rats.



## BAD WHISKEY SOILED WITH

Bad Blood of Blackfoot Indians Causes a Red Devil Tragedy.

Wake-Up-Last, His Wife, Three Children and a Few Neighbors, Have Ceased to Pow-Wow Because of a Drunken Row.

Browning, Mont., Oct. 12.—Seven persons were killed and two wounded during a drunken row in the Blackfoot Indian reservation, Montana. The dead are: Wake-up-last, his wife and three children. Mrs. Susan Bigroad, Mrs. Little Plume. The wounded are: Alice Bigroad, shot in the leg, will recover. J. Little Plume, throat and arm cut, recovery doubtful. A number of Indians secured a quantity of whiskey Sunday night and started on a big spree. In some manner Wake-up-last became engaged in a row with the rest of the party. During the altercation one Indian was slightly wounded.

Wake-up-last shortly afterwards went to bed. Later in the night six friends of the wounded man determined to kill Wake-up-last, although it is by no means certain that he was the wounded Indian assailant.

Wake-up-last was shot through the head while in bed. His wife awoke and started to run from the house with her youngest child, when the Indians rushed at her, and placing a revolver against the child's head, fired, killing mother and child with one shot. The other two children were shot through the head. Mrs. Susan Bigroad was shot through the head. Mrs. Little Plume's throat was cut from ear to ear.

### RAILROADS HAVE STARTED

Trains Through Flooded District and Gothamites Will Now Get Milk.

New York, Oct. 12.—Railroads terminating in Jersey City, have resumed their usual passenger train service schedules, excepting the local service on the main line of the Erie. The Erie express to Buffalo, left Jersey City, at 9:15 a. m. to go by way of Newburg and the Lehigh and Hudson's tracks between Newburg and Greycourt. This route avoids a bad washout near Suffern. Men are at work on a trestle which will bridge a washout of 250 feet. Trolley travel in Jersey City is still much hampered. Local traffic on the Lackawanna R. R. has about resumed a normal condition. Trains were running to Paterson today, but cannot get beyond there. The Boonton branch is closed. The partial resumption of regular train service on most of the railroads will bring relief to New York's milk shortage.

### GAME POSTPONED.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 12.—The Boston-Pittsburg base ball game scheduled to be played here today in the championship series, has been postponed until tomorrow on account of rain.

# ONLY BLOT TO BE SEEN

In This Country at the Present Day is  
the Divorce Process.

Eloquent Address by Burke Cockran, on  
Marital Relations, Wealth and Labor.  
Later Is in State of Evolution and  
Every Row a Step Forward.

New York Oct. 12.—In an address before the Knights of Columbus gathered in Carnegie hall to celebrate the anniversary of America's discovery, W. Burke Cockran reviewed the march of civilization and declared that the only blot to be seen at the present day is the divorce process. The great private fortunes he considered to be of value to the nation while the labor problem he said is only a step in the march of progress. There has been growth, he said, since the beginning of the world. Progress is the law of the universe. The nations which came before this one, the men who lived and accomplished things before Columbus, were swept in the links of a chain which has not been completed. When we know that this work is all for mankind then we can understand that his was a mission of commerce and of religion and that the mission marked the dawn of justice. The present state of society here is a promise. We have the greatest fortunes of the earth—greater than any ever dreamed of. When a large fortune is gained by right it is the fruit of the man's power and of the law of the land. It is a boon to the nation. My neighbors prosper and I prosper. My own and

# EUROPEANS UNDER CARE

Of Native Mounted Soldiers Are At-  
tacked and Robbed of  
Everything.

New York Oct. 12.—An escort of native mounted soldiers which accompanied a party of Europeans from Foz was attacked on returning to the coast from Tangier and robbed of everything says a Times despatch from Tangier. Two of the soldiers were wounded. Five Moorish soldiers were murdered last week by tribesmen between Tetuan and Tangier.

Some people at 40 look like 60! Gray hair. Ayer's Hair Vigor.

# CHRONIC SORES

Signs of Polluted Blood.

There is nothing so repulsive looking and disgusting as an old sore. You worry over it till the brain grows weary and work with it until the patience is exhausted and the very sight of the old festering sickly looking place makes you irritable, despondent and desperate. A chronic sore is the very best evidence that your blood is in an unhealthy and impoverished condition, that your constitution is breaking down under the effects of some serious disorder. The taking of strong medicines, like mercury or potash, will sometimes so pollute and vitiate the blood and impair the general system that the mercurial attack or bruise results in obstinate non-healing sores of the skin, offensive character. Of a malignant character breaks out in frightful eating sores upon the limbs or face or all over the body. When a sore refuses to heal the blood is almost at fault, and while antiseptic washes, salves, soaps and powders can do much to keep down the inflammation and cleanse the sore, it will never heal permanently till the blood itself has been purified and the deadly germs and poisons destroyed, and with S. S. S. this can be accomplished—the polluted blood is purified and invigorated, and when rich pure blood is again circulating freely throughout the body the flesh around the old sore begins to take on a natural color, the discharge of matter ceases and the place heals over. S. S. S. is both a blood purifier and tonic that puts your blood in order and at the same time tones up the system and builds up the general health. If you have a chronic sore write us. No charge for medical advice.

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ATCHISON GLOBE SIGHTS.

You can't satisfy Mr. Fool. The Goat club is a new organization proposed for those who butt in. Advice to bird dogs. When a bull dog has a bone let him keep it. If you want fame don't write a book, invent a washing machine. Don't say it more than once a day if you want people to think well of you. The trouble with some people is that they want their employers to work for them. We never longed to own a parrot and we never longed for goldfish either. The man who has a steady is sure of a head watch fob for a Christmas present this year. If one could have a choice it would be better to be a drunkard's dog than to be his wife. A big red apple in a farmer's wagon looks more tempting than a shiny one on a fruit stand. A good many of us are in the position of the singer whom nobody wishes to hear sing. It is a shock to see a man with crabs on his hat and a double shock if he is smoking a cigarette. We sometimes fear that the restaurants where only free lunch is served are becoming too numerous. The women are carrying such big pocket books now that they use them for valises when they travel. People are becoming accustomed to pills as bill collectors and stand them off as readily as they do men. A woman going to a Sunday school convention carries a valise while one going to a club meeting carries a suitcase. The novels may say to the contrary, but as a matter of fact there never was a proposal that was a surprise party. This is the season when that apprehensive feeling that the skirt and waist have parted in the back is about to be covered by a cloak. The man who tells everything he knows to his wife usually knows nothing beyond when preaching begins and church lets out. We should think that the world would strike married people much like a whiff of cooking after one has had too much breakfast. We have decided that when women get together the only subject upon which they agree is that nothing will stop their hair from coming out. After a man gets a nice home he is usually compelled to leave it for several moments in the year and live at a poor hotel at some mineral spring. A late song is entitled 'The Curse of a Pretty Face.' The girls can now say 'Of course I can do anything I am handicapped. I have the Curse of a Pretty Face.' When pretty girls don't turn their heads to look at you but old maids and widows take a second look it is a very distressing sign you are getting along in years. The old superstition that Friday was an unlucky day to get married on is doing out the people having discovered that when it comes to bad luck no particular day leads. A mean woman said today 'If every woman should get on her knees and bow in passing a man, he would not be surprised for down in his heart he has always thought this home age due him. Be kind. The other day while walking along the streets a fly (as I supposed) flew into my hand and buzzed and buzzed when I closed down on it. I now regret that I was not kinder, it turned out to be a bee.'—Drake Watson. In the play at the theatre last night a woman was killed but no one in the audience ever did find out who killed her. When there is a murder on the stage, the murderer should be found in the last act by a detective and punished. People have a right to expect this for their ten, twenty or thirty cents. Cause of Lockjaw. Lockjaw, or tetanus, is caused by a bacillus or germ which exists plentifully in street dirt. It is inactive so long as exposed to the air, but when carried beneath the skin, as in the wounds caused by percussion caps or by rusty nails and when the air is excluded the germ is roused to activity and produces the most virulent poison known. These germs may be destroyed and all danger of lockjaw avoided by applying Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely as soon as the injury is received. Pain Balm is an antiseptic and causes cuts, bruises and like injuries to heal without maturation and in one-third the time required by the usual treatment. It is for sale by all druggists.

## THE BOY

"Who Feels As Weak As a Cat,"

Should be Splendidly Muscular—There Is No Foundation For the Saying.

Of all the animal adages founded on the mistake of a fact as weak as a cat is the most absurd. Really the cat is the most muscular animal. The lion the tiger and other so called 'big cats' as you already know are of the same family with our common house pussy. We shall not speak of them further. As weak as a cat, is applied to the house pussy, but to say as weak as a kitten is truer. One may then mean the newborn kitten which comes into the world as blind, softer and more helpless looking than even the blind puppy, but which however is not so helplessly weak as the puppy, the kitten having sharp claws which the puppy has not. You know so much of cats do you not young people? The cat's muscles are extraordinarily large and powerful in proportion to the animal's size. Then again these muscles are attached to bones, fitted together at such angles as to make the finest system of levers and springs says Dr. Hildekoper known in the whole group the claws are sharper and are curved into stronger hooks than in any other animal and by the action of special muscles are withdrawn under the protection of sheath like pads that they may escape wear and injury when not in use. The slender supple form of the cat makes it capable of the highest activity. The heavy boy you may have noticed is not always the strongest, the thin, active boy is the fastest runner and the quicker at games which need both strong and limber muscles. The shoulder blade the arm and the forearm the thigh the leg and the foot of the cat lie at what the veterinary surgeons call close angles. That peculiar conformation shows that the enormous jumps which the cat can take to the envy of any athletic boy are due to the great power and closed angles of the joints but the conformation of the legs make the cat stride at a walk a trot or a run remarkably limited. The cat moves, therefore with wonderful quickness, but with no great speed. The boy who says he feels as weak as a cat—if he is at all like the cat—should be splendidly muscular. The truth is that in proportion to the size of his body he can never hope to be as strong as a cat—Our Animal Friends.

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## NEWS

Of the City Across  
the River

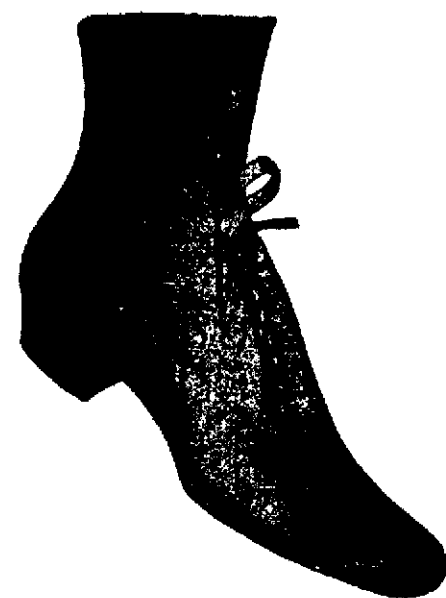
Given Below.

Infant Child of Bert  
CutlipDies of Cholera Infantum.  
Died Yesterday After  
Brief Illness.John Reiselman's Condition Much  
Improved—A Few Items Gath-  
ered in South Lima—Per-  
sonal Briefs.Yesterday, Grace, the infant daugh-  
ter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Cutlip, died  
of cholera infantum, aged 1 month,  
at 17 days. Rev. Sims, of the south  
Lima Church of Christ, will conduct  
short service at the Cutlip home, 708  
south Union street at 10 o'clock to-  
morrow morning, and interment will  
be made in Woodlawn cemetery.Much Improved.  
Friends of John Reiselman of 417  
south Pine street, will be glad to  
know that he has sufficiently recover-  
ed from appendicitis to be removed  
from the city hospital, where he un-  
derwent an operation.A Few Personals.  
A. Herrett of south Elizabeth  
street is in Michigan on a business  
trip.Mrs. Moore of Bluffton was a guest  
yesterday of her brother Albert and  
family on south Main street.Mr. and Mrs. Ed Woolery of Hun-  
dson visited his brother Charles  
yesterday, and his parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Jack Woolery yesterday.George Easlen and family, of south  
east street were at St. Mary's  
church.Bert Koller and family of Findlay,  
are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Amos  
yesterday on east Eureka street, yester-  
day.George Brammer of east Eureka  
street has returned from a trip to the  
Rocky mountains, in the interest of  
Lima Locomotive Works.Saturday Fred Victor was removed  
to the city hospital by Eckert and  
family.W. F. Sanders and family of Lake  
view are stopping with the Alva  
family on Hughes avenue.W. H. Lary of south Pine street,  
will in a few days move to a farm  
at Beaver Dam. He has resigned  
from the L. E. & W. shops.The Misses Wetherill, Bertha and  
Alice, of St. Johns avenue visited  
yesterday at Ada, yesterday.Mr. and Mrs. Joe DeVoe of Green  
lawn avenue, are entertaining Mrs. H.  
Laughner, of Oil City, Pa.Rufus Hettie, of the Muncie Star,  
visited yesterday with Mrs. Emma  
Welsh and Miss Ella Throckmorton.  
Rev. Schmitz and wife, of east Kil-  
by street, have as their guest, Mrs.  
Walter Wilson, of Ada.Frank Burden, the ball player, of  
Montpelier, Ind. was the guest of Mr.  
and Mrs. Ed. Sowers, Second street,  
yesterday.Mrs. Susan Sullivan, of Hughes ave-  
nue, is visiting at Paulding.George Bentie, of Ashland, O., is a  
guest of S. H. Runyan, on south Hol-  
ly street.Miss Grace Briggs, of Jameson ave-  
nue, spent Sunday with the W. A.  
Sheer family, southeast of this city.Mrs. Ella Hamilton and children,  
Hildred, Thelma and Virgil, have re-  
turned to their home on Second  
street, after a visit of ten days at  
Spencerville.

## THE STAGE.

The appearance of Miss Gertrude  
Coghlan in "The Last of the Bois-  
sacs" at the Faurot opera house tonight  
will surely be one of the delightful events  
of the dramatic season. She has many  
friends and admirers in this city, and  
there are few, if any, female stars  
that visit here more popular socially.  
From all reports she has the best play  
of her career—not even excepting  
"Becky Sharp" and "Alice of Old Vin-  
cennes." "The Last of the Bois-  
sacs" was written by Miss Coghlan's father,  
the late Charles Coghlan, who was as  
gifted as a writer as he was brilliant  
as an actor, and is said to be the most  
powerful and thrilling romantic drama  
produced in years. It will be present-  
ed by Miss Coghlan with special scen-  
ery by Gates & Morange, and with  
beautiful and appropriate costumes.  
In fact, in the way of scenic invest-  
ment the production will be one of the  
most thorough and artistically com-  
plete of the season's offerings. Miss  
Coghlan has an entire new company  
this season, including several of the  
best known players from the leading  
Metropolitan theatres.Blondell and Fennessy's "Katzen-  
jammer Kids" company that is booked  
for the Faurot opera house on  
Wednesday night is, perhaps, about  
the only farce comedy now touring the  
country that appeals to the old as well  
as the young, inasmuch as the mis-  
chievous antics of the "kids" are  
watched with so much interest by both  
classes and there being so many high-  
class musical numbers and novel  
specialties introduced by capable ar-  
tists, that the elder class of theater-  
goers forget their age for the time be-  
ing and mingle their laughter with the  
little folks, which makes a very pret-  
ty sight to behold. The "Katzenjam-  
mer Kids" have a universal reputation as  
laugh makers and the management  
are very emphatic in stating that this  
organization has no equal as a mirth  
provoker.Can't be perfect in health without  
pure blood. Burdock Bitters makes  
pure blood. Tones and invigorates  
the whole system.Night Time  
IS THE  
Right TimeIf you are nervous  
and can't sleep,  
to take a cup ofWRIGHT'S  
CELERY  
TEAIt quiets the nerves and brings re-  
freshing sleep. It renews strength  
and vigor. 25 cents and 50 cents a  
box, drug store or by mail.  
WRIGHT MEDICAL CO.  
Columbus, Ohio.

## CORN CROP

In Is Ohio a Very Serious  
Disappointment.The latest press bulletin of the Ohio  
Agricultural Experiment station says:  
It now seems evident that the yield  
of corn is to be much below an aver-  
age crop in this state this season.  
Conditions beyond the control of the  
corn grower—the late spring and the  
unseasonable weather during the  
greater part of the corn months—have  
helped to bring about this result. The  
corn crop of 1902 is a matter of his-  
tory. All that can be done now is to  
carefully save and utilize what we  
have. This would mean something  
more than picking the ears and allow-  
ing the stalks to waste in the field in  
so far as its feed value is concerned.The present crop is not only a disap-  
pointment as regards yield but quite  
inferior as to quality. This for many  
a corn grower means poor seed, an  
uneven stand and a poor crop in 1904.  
It will mean this unless great precau-  
tion be taken in selecting and drying  
out seed corn this fall. While mature  
seed should be chosen if it can be  
had, slightly immature corn carefully  
and thoroughly dried out by the fire  
is frequently more satisfactory than  
the former, and it is probable  
that seed corn of which ninety  
per cent and upward will germinate  
next spring will not be easily secured.  
Almost any farmer can arrange for it  
now if he be alert. It has seemed  
best that this word of caution be  
sounded at this time.WILL DEPORT  
MORE CHINESE.Of 350 Taken Into Custody Only  
130 Could Secure Their  
Release.Boston, Oct. 12.—Of the 350 or  
more Chinese residents taken into  
custody because they could not pro-  
duce registration certificates, about  
about 130 were released during the  
night, friends having placed the re-  
quired papers before the federal auth-  
orities. The police think that most of  
the others will probably be deported.SPECIAL BARGAIN IN EVERY  
DEPARTMENT DURING ANNIV-  
SARY SALE THIS WEEK AT  
FELT'S.HIS JOURNEY  
INTO ALASKADoes Not Convince Him There Is  
Any Great Farming Future  
in That Country.San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 12.—C. H.  
Detrich, United States Senator from  
Nebraska, and member of the senate  
committee on public lands, has ar-  
rived here, after a four months visit to  
Alaska. His object in visiting the  
territory was to familiarize himself  
with the conditions there. He does  
not attach much importance to the  
growing importance to Alaska's com-  
mercial possibilities that have come  
from there for years past. He says  
many thousands of dollars expended  
at the government agricultural ex-  
periment station at Sitka, have not  
established any facts about the agri-  
cultural possibilities of the territory  
that have not been known for fifty  
years.A  
BIG  
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INTEREST  
IN TREATIESIs Evoking but Little Interest in Local  
Press of China.Native Merchants Who Were Hopeful Do not  
Expect any Practical Benefits from  
Present Divided Efforts of  
the Powers.New York, Oct. 12.—The local press  
displays little interest in the United  
States and Japanese treaties accord-  
ing to a Times despatch from Shang-  
hai. The native merchants who were  
hopeful when the British treaty nego-  
tiations were begun, do not now ex-  
pect any practical benefits from the  
divided efforts of the foreign powersto effect a radical reform of the in-  
land taxation of trade. As regards  
the opening of places in Manchuria,  
to foreign trade native opinion is  
general that so long as the Russian  
occupation is maintained the word  
"opening" is meaningless, and that it  
is unlikely that Chinese or American  
trade will derive any substantial ad-  
vantages from the late treaty.

## MACCABEES

Will Entertain Great Com-  
mander H. M. Parker.He Will Meet With Banner Tent  
Tonight and Lima Tent  
Tomorrow Night.Henry M. Parker, of Elyria, Great  
Commander of the Knights of the  
Maccabees of Ohio, is in the city for  
the purpose of conferring with the  
members of the three local tents, re-  
lative to a concerted forward move-  
ment during the winter. He will meet  
with Banner Tent tonight, and all  
members of the order are expected to  
be present. At the close of the re-  
view, he especially wishes to meet  
Lima division of the uniform rank.  
On Tuesday evening, he will be  
present at the review of Lima tent.  
The great Great Commander is not a  
stronger to Lima, and it is a foregoneconclusion that any proposition that  
he has to make to the busy "Bees,"  
will be cheerfully accepted.Lima Division No. 23, Uniform  
Rank, has secured the Wheeler hall,  
on west Market street, for their head-  
quarters and hereafter will meet  
there regularly on every Thursday  
night for drill.SHAWNEE COMMANDERY NO. 14,  
K. T.Stated convocate Tuesday evening  
October 13, 1903, at 7 o'clock. Visitors  
invited.WALTER N. BOYER, E. C.  
GEO. B. HOLLAND, Recorder

Like Begets Like.

Miss Inez Sent—It's an opal ring  
Mr. Cheepley gave me.Miss Sharpe (examining it)—"H'm"  
Do you—er—like it?Miss Inez Sent—Oh, yes, but you  
knew the old superstition. I am  
afraid it will bring me bad luck.Miss Sharpe—I wouldn't worry.  
This can't bring you anything worse  
than an imitation of bad luck.—Phila-  
delphia Press.

## A CAPTIVATING SMILE

is simply impossible without good  
teeth. If nature has been remiss in  
providing or preserving them, let us  
supply the deficiency with artificial  
ones so closely resembling her handi-  
work that few if any, can detect the  
difference. Whole sets as low as  
\$10; upper or lower sets, \$5; a tooth  
here or a tooth there at prices pro-  
portionately small. Estimates given  
on all kinds of dental work.

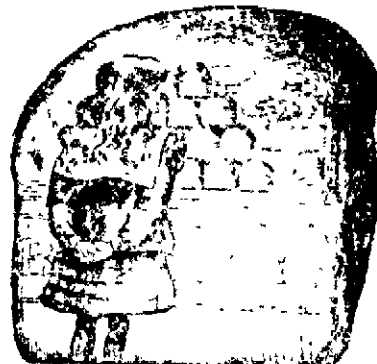
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## CHRISTY

Has Proved Puzzler to Best  
Batters.Secret of Success Lies in the Ex-  
cellent Coaching McGinnity  
Gives Him.Many wonder how two such suc-  
cessful and popular pitchers as Mat-  
thewson and McGinnity get along to-  
gether on the same team without  
wrangling over their claims to popular  
favor. The question has often been  
asked "I wonder how those two  
men act toward each other?" They  
are the best of friends, and each  
thinks the other is the greatest pitch-  
er he ever saw. "Matty" is younger  
than the "lion man," and looks to him  
for advice. Those who, early in the  
season, thought Mathewson had seen  
his best days have marvels at the  
work done by the young man in recent  
games. The secret of his success is  
out. McGinnity has been coaching  
him, teaching him the body swing in  
stead of the sharp arm jerk which  
strains ligaments and has early sent  
men like Amos Ruee and others to the  
shelf. When Mathewson, fresh from  
college, jumped into professional ball,  
he relied upon his terrific speed to  
down batsmen. This year, under the  
wise coaching of McGinnity, who has  
the saving of the pitching arm down  
to a science, he has learned to feed  
the batsmen a puzzling change of  
pace, which includes a slow drop ball.  
—New York Sun.

## Stolzenbach &amp; Co.



## THOUGHTLESS.

Matilda Arithmia Jinks  
is generally known as "the Sphinx."  
She chatters like sin.  
But the likeness is in  
the fact that the sphinx never thinks.  
—New York Times.

## MULTUM IN PARVO.

For instance, there's the "skeeter."  
He's not of massive frame.  
But he puts his head right down and  
digs.  
And he gets there, just the same.  
—Buck Lake Herald.Inflammatory Rheumatism  
is cured by  
**Ath-lo-pho-ros**  
Sold by all Druggists. Send for Free Booklet to  
The Athlophoros Co., New Haven, Conn.The above is a copy of one of the sketches received in the competition for the  
first prize. The winner of the contest will be the artist who will be the  
most successful in the future. The prize will be the first prize in the  
competition. The prize will be the first prize in the competition.



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## DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor,  
TOM L. JOHNSON,  
of Cuyahoga County.  
For Lieutenant Governor,  
FRANK B. NILES,  
of Lucas County.  
For Supreme Judge,  
EDWARD J. DEMPSEY,  
of Hamilton County.  
For Attorney General,  
FRANK S. MONNETT,  
of Franklin County.  
For Treasurer of State,  
V. J. DAHL,  
of Fayette County.  
For Auditor of State,  
CHARLES A. KLOEBB,  
of Mercer County.  
For School Commissioner,  
J. H. SECREST,  
of Putnam County.  
For Member of Board of Public Works,  
T. H. B. JONES,  
of Lawrence County.  
For United States Senator,  
JOHN H. CLARKE,  
of Cuyahoga County.

## DISTRICT TICKET.

For State Senators,  
STEPHEN D. CRITES,  
THOMAS M. BERRY.  
For Common Pleas Judges,  
STEPHEN A. ARMSTRONG,  
WILLIAM CUNNINGHAM.

## COUNTY TICKET.

For Representative,  
JOHN W. MANGUS,  
of Richland Township.  
For Sheriff,  
EUGENE J. BARR,  
of Lima.  
For Treasurer,  
MINOR C. CROSSLEY,  
of Lima.  
For Commissioner,  
ALEXANDER L. CONRAD,  
of Bluffton.  
For Surveyor,  
CHARLES E. CRAIG,  
of Monroe Township.  
For Coroner,  
DR. ANDREW W. BICE,  
of Lima.  
For Infirmary Director,  
C. H. MOSIER,  
of Marion Township.

## THE WEATHER.

Washington Oct. 12.—For Ohio:  
Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday.

There is quite an epidemic of ty-  
phoid fever in portions of the city,  
south of the river. The health officer  
should ascertain from what source  
the families where the disease pre-  
vails get their water supply.

There never was such a hickory nut  
cron in Ohio, as there is this year.  
Those familiar with ancient political  
lore, can draw their own inferences.  
Tom Johnson and the democratic  
state central committee have made  
their deductions.

Do you think the man who in five  
years as a senator of the United  
States has fathered only two bills, one  
to take one hundred and eighty mil-  
lion of money out of the pockets of  
the people for the ship trust, and the  
other to pension all ex-slaves is  
worthy of re-election to the office, or  
that he can bring calamity on the  
country, if he is not?

The political outlook around Akron,  
Dick's own home, must look discourag-  
ing from a republican viewpoint, also.

the committee in charge of the 1880  
spell binders wouldn't have started  
Shaw, the chief wheel of fortune, on  
his Ohio necessity campaign at that  
point. It may even be necessary to  
mobilize the Eighth Ohio regiment  
there on election day to save Dick's  
reputation as a vote getter.

## DEMOCRACY IN THE COUNTIES

There is excellent reason for declar-  
ing that the Democracy of Ohio will  
make substantial gains in the several  
counties this year, electing more im-  
portant county officers than during  
many years past. This expectation is  
borne out, according to information  
from Columbus, by authentic reports  
of the Democratic state committee  
from all parts of the state, and will be  
gratifying to Democrats everywhere.  
We are equally interested in the suc-  
cess of the state ticket, but local gains  
in the several counties should afford  
special reasons for congratulation.

It is a fact there are no public  
offices more directly related to the  
prosperity of the homes and farms  
than the county offices in every state.  
At the same time few are more inti-  
mately related to the elements of  
party organization and success than  
these offices. They have a double sig-  
nificance in every campaign. It is es-  
pecially gratifying this year to learn  
that the number of them likely to be  
filled by Democrats will be probably  
greater after next November than  
ever before.

This should be an inspiration to the  
Democracy in all of the 88 counties in  
Ohio, to put renewed energy into the  
work for the success of the county tick-  
ets. Such work will be an inspiration  
in the general campaign, while pro-  
moting the best interests of the party  
in important localities. This is the  
year for the Democracy not only to  
hold fast what it has already obtained  
but to forge many new links in the  
chain that binds the party together  
as a compact organization, from our  
eastern to our western boundary and  
from the lake to the river.

## BOOKS

### Of the Franco-American Oil Co. Are Seized.

The Parisian Stockholders Com-  
plain That They Are Not Re-  
ceiving Dividends.

A press dispatch from Paris, dated  
Oct. 10, says:

"An examining magistrate, M. Flory,  
today took possession of the Franco-  
American Oil Co.'s books. The man-  
ager of the concern, recently left  
Paris for America and the share-  
holders, who complained that they  
had received no dividends, asked for  
an investigation."

There is more than one Franco-  
American Oil Co., one of which has  
some very valuable producing terri-  
tory in the Allen county field. The  
local representatives of that com-  
pany, however, claim to know nothing  
of the matter referred to in the above  
telegram. The Franco-American com-  
pany, in December, 1901, purchased  
the oil interests of Maize Bros., in  
the Amanda township and Marion  
township fields, the deal being en-  
gineered by Mr. D. J. Kelly, of New  
York. Michael Lynch, if this city, is  
field superintendent for the company.

### OBJECTED TO HER RETURN

And Stopped It By Ending Her Life  
With Pistol Shot—Mis-  
souri Tragedy.

Sedalia, Mo., Oct. 12.—Ella Broden,  
aged 26, of Sedalia, the divorced wife  
of John Brookman, who is serving in  
the pen for the murder of his second  
wife, was shot and killed by John  
Meyers, a farmer, unmarried and 39  
years of age near Gravis Mills.  
Meyers was arrested and is now in  
jail at Versailles. The dead woman  
was visiting her sister, Mrs. Bradshaw.  
The cause of the murder is not  
known, but it is believed that Meyers  
objected to Miss Broden returning to  
Sedalia.

## U. V. L. CONVENTION.

Dayton, O., Oct. 12.—Delegates to  
the national convention of the Union  
Veterans' Legion are assembling to-  
day. Social sessions will be held this  
evening and Tuesday evening. Twen-  
ty-five thousand visitors and six hun-  
dred delegates are expected. Geo. W.  
Spahr, national commander, and B. W.  
Sullivan, adjutant general, of Indian-  
apolis, arrived this afternoon and  
opened headquarters in the Phillips  
house. The city is profusely decora-  
ed.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Messrs H. W. Welland, Louis  
Klotter, Thos. Berry and Attorney  
Hiram Bolsinger, stock holders in the  
K. & T. Oil Company, were here yester-  
day, the guests of President Wm.  
Healy and Wm. Murray Abbott of  
this city.

Dr. Getz, of Wapakoneta, was in the  
city today.

Mrs. Mary Neimeyer and daughter,  
Miss Anna Neimeyer, of Covington,  
Ky., were the guests yesterday, of  
their cousin, Mrs. John Longmeier, of  
north Main street.

Mrs. John Longmeier and daughter,  
Mrs. Sherman Woerner and son John  
Longmeier, Jr., of north Main street,  
are in Chicago.

Francis V. Borelli, of the U. S. Pe-  
troleum Company, was at Scott's  
Crossing yesterday looking over the  
company's property there.

Mrs. H. A. Fetter and daughter,  
were called to Milwaukee, Wis., on  
account of the serious illness of Mrs.  
Fetter's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Curtis, of 1124  
north Main street, left yesterday for  
Cleveland, to visit Mr. W. H. Bailey.  
T. E. Neer and Harry Myers, of the  
Faurot opera house, spent Sunday in  
Chicago.

Mrs. Anna Mife, of Columbus, Kan-  
sas, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jno.  
McComb, of north Pine street.

Mrs. Elmer Morris, of Columbus,  
Ohio, is the guest of her mother, Mrs.  
Jno. McComb, of north Pine street.

Miss Lenore Detweiler is the guest  
of Miss Edna Gartley, in Sidney.

City Solicitor H. O. Bentley went to  
Toledo this morning, on legal busi-  
ness.

Rev. I. J. Swanson, returned last  
night from his European trip. The  
vessel encountered a severe gale, and  
was nine days making the trip to  
Boston harbor.

Miss Whittington, of south West  
street, has just returned from Cam-  
bridge Springs and a visit with friends  
in Columbus, Ohio.

Mrs. H. A. Hamer and son Paul, of  
Pemberton, Ohio, are visiting her  
daughter, Miss Ora H. Hamer, deputy  
city auditor.

John Dehner, who is connected with  
the revenue service in Hamilton  
county, his wife and daughter, and a  
daughter of the late Captain Hadley,  
of Cincinnati, were unexpected but  
welcome guests at the home of Dr. H.  
F. Vorkamp, yesterday.

6c boiling meat at Townsend's.

## TWO "BINGS."

One a False Alarm, the Other  
a Burning Chimney.

Last evening at 6:20 o'clock, the  
central fire department was called to  
High and Sugar streets, by an alarm  
from box 32. The alarm was a false  
one, and the miscreant who sent it  
in could not be found.

About 9:30 o'clock this morning,  
the department was again called out  
by an alarm from box 24. This "bing"  
was occasioned by the burning out of  
a flue at Roush's feed store. No  
damage.

Dressed chickens at Townsend's.

## SURPRISE

Was Given Eugene Hall By  
a Party of Friends.

Eugene Hall, field foreman for Weill  
& Johnson, was given a delightful sur-  
prise by a party of about sixty friends  
who called at his home east of the  
city yesterday to help him celebrate  
his thirty-first birthday anniversary.  
An excellent dinner was served, and  
after the feast, the guests were enter-  
tained with music furnished by Mrs.  
Hall, Misses Lulu and Frances Hef-  
ner, Mr. Hall, Tuck Hefner, Dave Hef-  
ner and Marion Watt. The event  
was greatly enjoyed by all who were  
present.

Have you a bad liver, feel mean,  
cross, ugly, down in the mouth, feel  
like going out of business? Take  
Rocky Mountain Tea; drives away  
the blues. 35 cents. H. F. Vorkamp,  
corner Main and North streets.

50lbs. veal liver at Townsend's.

Toledo Grain.  
Toledo, O., Oct. 12.—Close: Wheat,  
cash 81; Dec. 84; May 84.  
Corn, cash 48; Dec. 44; May 44.  
Oats, cash 38; Dec. 37.

6c boiling meat at Townsend's.

Sadie Strous, San Francisco—"I  
had an awful pimply and blotched  
face. Friends hardly know me since  
taking Rocky Mountain Tea. Am fair  
and rosy. 35c. H. F. Vorkamp, cor-  
ner Main and North streets.

# FIRST

Case Settled Out of  
Court

And the Jury

Was Told There Was  
Nothing to Do.

One of the Pickpockets With  
Hanna Party Released  
on Bond.

But the Other Will Languish Until  
the Grand Jury Gets Through  
With Him—Other Matters  
In Court.

The petit jury put in an appearance  
this morning, but found nothing to do,  
as the settlement of the case assigned  
rendered their services unnecessary.  
The case which the court expected to  
try was E. A. Reed vs. Mrs. F. Light,  
but the attorneys, and parties at law,  
got together and agreed to settle the  
controversy without further legal pro-  
ceedings. The jury was dismissed un-  
til tomorrow morning.

Sue For the Balance.

W. K. Boone & Co. have brought  
suit and had an attachment issued  
against Nelson G. Swan. The peti-  
tion is based on a promissory note for  
\$207.38, on which there is a balance  
due of \$173.18. Defendant, the peti-  
tion says, is in Rhinelander, Wis., but  
owns property in Lima, which can be  
levied upon.

Pickpocket Released.

Henry Baker, one of the bunch pick-  
ed up at the C. H. & D. when there ap-  
peared to be an attempt to get posses-  
sion of the few pocketbooks left after  
the Hanna meeting, was released from  
the county jail today, having fur-  
nished the required bond of \$200.

Frank J. McDonald, who was arrest-  
ed at the same time, was not so for-  
tunate, and will have to remain at  
least until the grand jury decides  
whether he was a party to the attempt-  
ed hold-up.

In Probate Court.

John Huttering, proprietor of a sal-  
oon in Bluffton, has made an assign-  
ment and D. S. Fenster was appointed  
assignee, giving bond in the sum of  
\$500.

Nelson Swan was appointed admin-  
istrator of the estate of Esther Swan,  
deceased.

Marriage Licenses.  
Charles R. Stewart, 24, barber, of  
St. Marys, and Sadie E. Young, 25, of  
Lima.

It was in Lima that Mr. Riley  
formed his purpose in life; here he re-  
ceived the incentives to write.

Dancing

at Finley's every Wednesday night  
instead of Thursday. 11-30

Affliction

Follows the Family of Late

Ed. Stevens.

One year ago, Edward Stevens, a  
great big, fine specimen of manhood,  
a plasterer and foreman for contractor  
Geo. Muntis, was attacked with  
consumption, and together with his  
wife and five babies, started for  
North Carolina. They got as far as  
Newport, were unable to proceed  
farther, and in a short time, Mr. Stev-  
ens died from the disease.

Saturday, word came that Mrs. Stev-  
ens, the mother of the five fatherless  
children, who when she left here, was  
the very picture of health, was near  
dissolution from the same disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens had many  
friends in Lima, and several of these  
have nobly contributed to the aid of  
the surviving mother and children.

CASTORIA.  
The Kid You Have / Never Knew  
Has the  
Signature  
Chas. H. Hitchcock

ARCADES

Defeated the New Hampshire

Team Yesterday.

The Arcades, with the best line-up  
they have had this season, defeated  
the New Hampshire team on the  
Haller street base ball grounds yester-  
day afternoon, the score being 12 to 2.  
Pat Wise pitched an excellent game  
for the Arcades and Frank Sealtie did  
the back-stop work.

## MORE WRECKS ARE TOLD OF.

Two Schooners Lost in a Hurricane  
Last Saturday—All on Board  
Were Rescued.

Norfolk, Va., Oct. 12.—Two more  
wrecks that occurred in the hurri-  
cane of last Saturday, were reported  
today when the first news in almost a  
week were received from the North  
Carolina coast over the government  
wires.

The three masted schooner J. B.  
Holden, lumber laden from Norfolk, is  
a total loss. The three masted  
schooner Mabel Rose, pounded to  
pieces on the shoal off Paul Gamuel's  
Hill, twenty miles south of Currituck.  
Both crews were saved. The Holden  
was of 410 tons and the Mabel Rose  
of 750.

"Our New Minister" at the opera  
house on Thursday, Oct. 22.

"REXALL" MEMBERS MEET

Remarkable Gathering of Stockhold-  
ers of the United Drug Co.,  
in Boston.

Dr. H. F. Vorkamp, the well known  
druggist, has returned from Boston,  
where he has been attending the first  
annual meeting of the United Drug  
Company.

The gathering was remarkable in  
many ways.  
The company is a co-operative organi-  
zation, composed of the leading  
druggists in each important town or  
city in the country.

A great laboratory has been erected  
in Boston, and there a remedy for  
each human ill is manufactured under  
the general trade name of "Rexall."

Important new discoveries in medi-  
cine are made from time to time, and  
after a new preparation is thoroughly  
tested and proven, it is extensively  
advertised. Last spring, Rexall Dys-  
pepsia Tablets were introduced by  
means of the now famous "Captain  
Rexall" and her little soldiers.

This fall a new Rexall remedy,  
"Muc-Tone," a cure for all forms of  
catarrh, will be introduced. Muc-  
Tone was brought to the attention of  
the stockholders at their meeting, and  
\$65,000 worth of the remedy was or-  
dered in one afternoon by the drug-  
gists present. Other orders were given  
in the following days, so that the  
sales for the week amounted to nearly  
\$100,000.00.

Without question of doubt this is  
one of the most remarkable incidents  
in the proprietary remedy history of  
the country. The men who compose  
the United Drug Co., are the acknowl-  
edged leaders in the retail drug busi-  
ness of the country. That they  
should purchase this enormous quan-  
tity of a new remedy proves their  
faith in the Rexall enterprise and  
proves as well, their wonderful facili-  
ties for handling large quantities of  
goods.

The "Our New Minister" date at  
the opera house on Thursday, Oct.  
22nd, is eagerly awaited.

THEIR ITINERARY.

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 12.—The official  
inspection party of the United States  
Steel Corporation, headed by Presi-  
dent Wm. E. Corey, reached Pitts-  
burg today and accompanied by Presi-  
dent Dinkley, of the Carnegie Steel  
Co., immediately began the inspec-  
tion of Homestead, Braddock and Mc-  
Keessport plants. Tomorrow morning  
the party will leave in a special train  
for Ambridge, Pa., to view the new  
plant of the American Bridge Co., at  
that place. From there they will go  
to Youngstown, O., and then to the  
Mahoning valley district. Lorain and  
Cleveland will also be visited.

HOME-SEEKER'S AND ONE WAY  
COLONIST'S FARES.

Call on agents of Detroit Southern  
R. R. for full particulars relative to  
Homeseeker's and Colonist's rates.  
Tickets on sale first and third Tues-  
days of each month. 102-2m

TAFT WILL ASSUME

NEW DUTIES IN JANUARY.

Washington, Oct. 12.—Word has  
been received at the White House  
from Governor Taft to the effect that  
he will be here ready to assume his  
new duties as secretary of war some  
time in January.

LEFT HIS MONEY.

Decatur, Ills., Oct. 12.—J. W. Butte-  
man, a retired capitalist dropped dead  
today, from heart disease. He was  
60 years of age. He was for many  
years prominent in business here,  
managing the city gas plant and own-  
ing a large mercantile establish-  
ment. He had no children.

Everybody is going to see "Our  
New Minister" at the opera house, on  
Thursday, October 22.

# The Lima Dry Goods Co

Wonderful Bargains  
In New Fall and Winter  
Dress Goods.

This Department is Meeting With Tre-  
mendous Success.

We have prepared an unusually good list of items for  
this week's selling. Special purchases have brought even  
greater values than ever. There are thousands of yards of  
the newest weaves at very attractive prices.

36 inch wool Granite Suitings, seven handsome shades, 50c  
yard.

Extra quality 45 inch all wool Imperial Serge, many desirable  
shades, 50c yard.

Special lot all wool Novelty Suitings, consisting of cheviete,  
Zibelines, Serges, Whipcords, Bouches and Mohairs, 38 and 40  
inches wide, 50c yard.

Excellent quality 52 inch all wool Cheviot, in black, brown and  
blue, special at 75c yard.

54 inch extra fine Kersey, for suits or fall jackets, \$1.50 yard.  
52 inch Zibelines, basket weave, splendid for suits or skirts,  
colors exford or castor, \$1.25 yard.

Snowflake Suiting neat checked effects with snowflake stripes  
\$1.50 yard.

Crepe de Paris, one of the leaders in light weight fabrics for  
fall use. A pure silk and wool cloth, splendidly adapted for wear  
on the street or for evening gowns, 45 inches wide, \$1.25 yard.

Scotch Suitings, 50 inch width, brown, blue or grey mixtures,  
\$1.50 yard.

Knickerbocker Suiting, 45 inches wide, brown or gray mixtures,  
\$1.25 yard.

Fine Venetian Suiting 52 inches wide, all colors, particularly  
desirable for fall wear, \$1.00 yard.

Elegant Broadcloth, the most sought after of all the smooth  
cloths for fall, all the desirable shades, \$1.50 yard.

## For Waists.

Fancy Mercerized Waistings 50c, 62c and \$1.00 yard.  
Beautiful Corduroys, the new fall shades, 75c and \$1.00 yard.  
Metallic figured Velvets in choice colorings, 50c yard.

# See the Fine Pianos.

\$110, \$160, \$175,  
\$195 and up.

B. S. Porter & Son's piano sale with  
Price Cut in Two is attracting

Buyers From Many  
Counties.

Our Guarantee to Save you \$50  
to \$600 on a Piano is an Attraction  
to any Piano Buyer.

Remember, we carry the largest stock  
of pianos and more different makes  
than any other piano house in North-  
western Ohio. Such world renowned  
pianos as the Steuk, Everett, J. & O.  
Fischer, Harvard, Ebersole, Porter &  
Son and many other fine pianos can be  
seen and heard at the old reliable B. S.  
Porter & Son, 131 south Main street,  
the Reliable Piano House.

Pianos Sold on Easy Payments.

Call in and hear the famous Chase &  
Baker piano player.

Don't buy a piano until you call and  
get our prices. You will save many  
dollars. Store open evenings.

B. S. Porter & Son,  
141 South Main Street.

# IMPORTANT

Owing to the fact that The  
Mammoth will retire from busi-  
ness, all persons owing accounts  
will please make immediate  
settlement.  
All accounts not paid by  
October 20th, will be given for  
collection according to law.

The Mammoth  
to oct 19

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M. Hoffeller, Agent, Lima, O.

WANTED—MOTORMEN AND CON-  
DUCTORS

who will invest in new interurban



## WANTED, FOR RENT, LOST.

## WANTED.

WANTED—Two girls at once at H. Baumgardner, 538 south Main street 1-3t

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Seven room house on south Pierce street. Inquire at Harry Thomas' grocery 1t

FOR RENT—Six room cottage, at 685 west Spring street. Modern kitchen detail. Good cellar; filtered cistern. Rent \$15.00 per month. Enquire at 184 west Spring street

FOR RENT—New 6-room house with cellar situated southwest of square, but a few blocks, fitted for gas and electric light. Inquire 517 south Main street 0-3t

FOR RENT—5 room modern house, with bath, cistern and cellar, at 123 Harrison avenue. Inquire at 123 south McDonnell street, or old phone 9-3 0-3t

FOR RENT—Four rooms on second floor of Hetrick, with private bath 0-3t

FOR RENT—Three large front rooms, furnished complete for house keeping. Will rent the same unfurnished also one 6 room house with city and cistern water. 954 east High street 8-1t

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Merry-go-round, in first class condition. Good reasons for selling. Address J. C. Gibson, Siding 9, until Oct 18 1-3t

FOR SALE—Black coach or carriage, horse. Good driver, single or double. C. A. Strusburg, Cridersville 0-3t

FOR SALE—Property on west Wayne street, will insure between 7 and 8 per cent on investment. Terms to suit purchaser. Address, Box 591, Lima, Ohio. 254-1t

## LOST.

LOST—Probably at C. H. & D. de... Sunday afternoon an Elk tooth watch charm. Finder will be rewarded by returning the charm to F. L. McFarland at L. E. & W. storekeeper's office 1-1t

Lost seal ring at Townsends history note at Townsends

## TEAM

Got Safely Across the Track

But the Buggy

Was Hit by the Engine and Demolished,

While the Occupant of the Vehicle Was Seriously Injured.

L. E. & W. Passenger Train No. 4 Wrecks a Buggy on a Street Crossing in Findlay. Railroad News.

The engine pulling east bound passenger train No. 4, which left here at 12:50 o'clock Saturday afternoon on the L. E. & W., struck a buggy at the Putnam street crossing in Findlay, wrecked the vehicle and seriously injured the occupant. The victim of the accident was Carey Nye, proprietor of a livery barn at McComb, O. He was driving a team of horses and could not see the approach of the train on account of some box cars that were on sidetracks at the crossing. The horses crossed the tracks in safety, but the buggy was hit squarely and was completely demolished. Nye was thrown some distance and was unconscious when picked up by members of the train crew. He was removed to a hospital and the physicians who attended him state that his chances for recovery are very good.

Theatre parties are already forming for the "Our New Minister" date at the opera house on Thursday, Oct. 22nd.

WILL WED WEDNESDAY.

The marriage of Miss Margaret Walsh to Mr. Frank J. Riley will occur at St. Rose's church Wednesday morning at eight o'clock.

## BRICKS FLEW AND LARRUPED

Cleveland Base Ball Team While Leaving Cincinnati Grounds.

Cleveland, O. Oct. 12.—Members of the Cleveland baseball club, which arrived here from Cincinnati, yesterday, claim they were attacked by a crowd of Cincinnati hoodlums as they left the grounds just after the game in that city yesterday afternoon. It is declared that bricks and stones were thrown at the Clevelanders and that several of them were hurt.

Capt. Layole thus described the attack: "We were two runs ahead of the Reds in the eighth inning, and they wanted the game called before the half-inning was over so that the score would revert back to the end of the seventh and they would win. 'Hurst refused to do this. Donlin, the Cincinnati first baseman delayed the game to such an extent that the crowd began to swarm on the field. Hurst threatened to forfeit the game, and after some effort the crowd went back. 'The crowd however had it in for us, and when we climbed into our bus it jumped on us. The streets near the park are covered with stones, and the gang of men and boys began to hurl them at us. One of the stones struck the driver on the back and nearly threw him from his seat. We all began to dodge, but some of us got hit, nevertheless, as the air was full of the flying missiles. 'I saw a big brick coming towards me. It just escaped striking Manager Armour in the face. It hit me on the side of the head and glancing off struck Flick full in the mouth. The stone was a big one and Flick was badly cut. I told the driver to go faster as the crowd was getting larger all the time. Every corner we came to seemed to hide a force and the bricks followed us even after we were seven blocks from the grounds. The police could do nothing with the crowd and if we had not finally all lain in the bottom of our bus I think several of us would have been badly hurt."

## CIVIL AUTHORITIES HAVE HIM.

Pittsburg Pa. Oct. 12.—Private John Dowd, the United States sentry, who shot and killed Wm. H. Crowley, near the U. S. Arsenal, several weeks ago and was later tried by court martial and exonerated, was turned over to the civil authorities for trial today. Dowd was placed in the custody of Coroner McGary, pending the result of the inquest of Crowley's remains.

## FRAUD REPORTS FROM MANILA ARE GROWING.

Large Quantities of Aniseed Oil Seized Which Was Billed Out as Common Old Tar. Arrests for Issuing False Certificates.

Manila Oct. 12.—As a result of the investigation of Custom Collector Shuster, Gov. Tait has made a requisition upon the Chinese authorities at Shanghai for the extradition of W. D. Ballantyne, Inspector of customs, arrested there yesterday for alleged complicity in the conspiracy for the issuance of what are suspected to be fraudulent certificates. An arrest will leave for Shanghai tomorrow to bring the prisoner back here. The custom authorities have just discovered large quantities of aniseed oil which was billed as tar. Many cases of the oil put up in this shape have been seized.

## ASSIMILATION BY ROPE ROUTE.

Manila Oct. 12.—Eight ladrones have been sentenced here to be hanged and two to twenty-five years imprisonment by Judge H. Sweeney. These men were captured in Bulacan, and other province of Luzon adjacent to Manila. A second body of ladrones are in the island of Panay where they have attacked the town of Ibaay, and killed thirteen of the inhabitants. There is only a small police force there.

## ARGUMENT IN TILLMAN CASE

Was Begun This Morning By State's Attorney, Who Spoke Briefly.

Lexington, S. C., Oct. 12.—When the trial of J. H. Tillman was resumed this morning counsel agreed to alternation in addressing the jury, counsel for the defense announcing that but four of their number would speak. Solicitor Thurmond opening the argument, addressed the court on the state's request for instructions to the jury as to the law in the case, the solicitor giving the state's interpretation of the law. At 10:30 o'clock Solicitor Thurmond began the opening address to the jury, entering upon a review of the testimony adduced by the state. The solicitor said that the editorials in the State were before the jury to show the feelings existing between the defendant and Mr. Gonzales, and in this connection dwelt upon the freedom of the press. Going into details he discussed the testimony of the principal witness for the state and comparison with that of witness for the defense contending for the showing made by the state. He concluded at 11:15 a. m. Attorney Rembert, in opening for the defense, devoted his arguments first to a reference to the State's editorials and their influence upon the defendant and to a defense of a witness for the defense whose evidence was attacked by the State. He said the defendant did not concede that Mr. Gonzales was unarmed at the time of the shooting. He contended that the defendant believed his life was in danger when he met Mr. Gonzales.

## ACID THROWER LOOSE.

Springfield, Oct. 12.—An unknown woman with a handkerchief tied over her face, last night, attempted to throw vitriol into the eyes of Christel Little, a young girl 14 years of age. The woman exclaimed as she threw the acid "You have come between me and the only man I love, and take this." Her face is badly burned, but the girl's sight is not destroyed. She declares that she has not the slightest idea as to who threw the acid.

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## Advance Sale of Furs.



It is customary with this firm to place orders on Furs with the makers very much in advance of when we need them, thus insuring their being made up in the dull season when both labor and skins are cheap. By doing this we have always been able to give better values in furs than any other store in this vicinity.

To buy your furs now is to invest your money at splendid interest represented by the marked savings you make over later prices.

You can make a small deposit on any one of these furs and we will lay it aside until you are ready to wear it.

Our line of Near and Electric Seal Coats was bought right and we can save you money. Buy here.

Electric Seal Jackets, nice quality satin lined, at \$30.00.

Electric Seal Jacket, skinner satin lined, one of the best jackets in the country, for a special price, at \$37.50.

Our first quality Near Seal Jacket, none better at any price, satin lined, at \$50.00.

G. E. BLUM

In Scarfs and Boas we can show you all styles at all prices and qualities from the lowest up.

Our Fox Scarfs are great values at \$10, \$12.50, \$15, \$18 and \$25.

Fox Long Boas at \$20, \$25, \$30 to \$50.

Martin Scarfs at \$5, \$7.50, \$10, \$11.50 and \$15.

Opossum Scarfs, \$3.98, \$5, \$7.50 and \$8.50.

Mink Scarfs at \$15, \$30 and \$25.

G. E. BLUM

Russia Hair Scarfs at 98c. \$1.50, \$2, \$2.25 and \$3.98.

We are showing a good line of Children's Furs this season in Angora, Squirrel and Hair at popular prices.

Fine Angora Sets at from \$1 to \$5.

Krimmer Muffs and Scarfs.

New large Muffs in Marten, Beaver and Fox to match scarf and boa, at \$2.98 to \$15.

G. E. BLUM



Dress Goods.

Suit House.

55-57 Public Square.



## "Truth is Mighty and Will Prevail."

An epidemic of sales has corrupted the clothing business. The sham has grown with years until the effrontery blazes itself on every hand.

Coats, Suits and Trousers are marked double their value and reduced to half! If some advertisers were compelled to establish the truth of their statements it would ruin them—since it would force them to be honest. It is easy to distinguish between our values and false values. That's what has made our great business.

The success of a store depends upon what it does, not what it promises to do.

All goods marked in plain figures, and one price to all, but we will return your money without argument if you want it.

ALBRECHT BROS.

American Clothiers.

"MEET ME AT THE LIMA HOUSE CORNER."

## LECTURE

Will Be Repeated by Rev. Eckhardt.

Rev. C. H. Eckhardt, president of Lima College, delivered a lecture yesterday on a subject of considerable local interest, choosing for his subject, "Lima, the Poor Man's City, or the Poor Boy's Opportunity." It was so well received by those present, that Rev. Eckhardt will arrange to repeat it, and announcement will be made before hand so that all may be given an opportunity to attend.

J. S. RIZOR, Broker.

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Dressed chickens at Townsends.

## CORSETS

## For the Fall Season!

The best dressed ladies of Lima and vicinity are supplied with Corsets from our department. Our patrons realizing more than ever that the success of a gown depends greatly upon being worn over the right Corset. They buy ours at \$3.50, \$3, \$2.50, \$2 and \$1.50, among which we show the best models of the most approved makes.

## The Best \$1 Corsets.

For one dollar we sell the best Corset yet produced. A variety of makes and shapes to fit the various figures. Among the \$1.00 goods, we sell the well-known C. B., W. B., R. & G., G. D., Thomson's Glove Fitting and Royal Worcester.

We also sell a splendid Corset at 50c.

Good Girdles at 50c and \$1.00.

Fine Corset Waists and Nursing Corsets at \$1.00.

The Newest Bust Forms and Bustles.

Feldmann & Co.  
209-211 N. Main Street.



## SMATHERS GREATEST GENTLEMAN PLUNGER

Man Known to All the Local Oil Fraternity Makes Plunger Lawson Lay Down for the First Time.

E. E. Smathers, America's greatest gentleman plunger, both on the running and trotting courses, is in Lexington, Ky., and from all accounts may spend a portion of the winter in New Orleans. The Cincinnati Times-Star pays the following tribute to Mr. Smathers:

When Elmer E. Smathers drives his \$40,000 trotter, Major Delmar, for the gold cup at Memphis next week, he will first make the acquaintance of that speedy gelding, for Smathers as yet knows very little of his recent purchase. However, he does not fear that he will not be able to handle the trotter to the best advantage, nor do his friends, for Smathers is known to be one of the best amateur reinmen in the country. He acquired that reputation on the speedway in New York. And most of his skill is natural, for it is only within the last few years that Mr. Smathers has driven to any extent. In New York he is sometimes called the Geers of the Speedway, for, like Ed. Geers, he is said to have that same delicate touch on the reins, the same cool judgment, the same method of handling a horse that has made the older man famous. When Smathers was in Cincinnati, on Saturday and Sunday, there were among those who met him for the first time, many who remarked upon his quiet demeanor. He was on the grounds at Oakley hours before anyone knew of his presence. He occupied a seat away back in an upper corner of the grand stand with Mr. Shaffer, of Pittsburgh, his partner in the oil business, and with Frank De Mass Robinson, the St. Louis baseball magnate. He only came down when he noticed Alita McDonald, the driver of Delmar, walking through the crowd, apparently in search of his employer. Mr. Robinson and Mr. Shaffer followed him, and after McDonald had returned to the stables and Smathers turned to his friends, Mr. Robinson introduced the young millionaire to some Cincinnati acquaintances.

**Smathers is Quiet.**  
There were perhaps a dozen on the grounds who knew who Smathers was before they had, by invitation of the directors of the track, taken a seat in the pagoda to see his horse make the second attempt in a week to lower his own record. When the time was hung out, a sigh of disappointment swept over the grand stand, but Mr. Smathers' never changed countenance. He pressed the stem of his fly-back stop watch (which had been loaned him by one of the judges), returned the timepiece to his pocket, and only remarked: "I thought he'd do better than that." The man is quiet. It is his prevailing characteristic. He is quiet in his habits, his manner and address. He wears quiet clothing and absolutely no jewelry, except his watch chain and a modest stickpin in his tie. No diamonds, no loud clothing, no loud talking for Elmer E. Smathers. And yet he is the man who made Thomas W. Lawson, the Boston millionaire and owner of

Boralma, "take water" when it came to betting. He is the ideal representative of American sporting gentleman. He stands to light harness driving, as Foxhall Keene does to the running turf.

**He Waged \$98,000.**  
Smathers' quiet demeanor is even more apparent than usual amid the exciting scenes of the race track. It is a common sight to see him walk calmly into a betting ring and bet from \$5,000 to \$10,000 on a race. Win or lose, however, it seems to make no difference in his feelings. On his own horses he frequently bets from \$25,000 to \$30,000 with the same nonchalance. Two years ago at Lexington, when the auction pools were being sold in the Transylvania stakes, Thos. W. Lawson, the owner of the trotter Boralma, who was entered for that event, was backing his horse heavily. Boralma was the favorite. Smathers was there, and suddenly he announced that he would bet \$20,000 on the field at even money. This defied created great excitement among the backers of Boralma. They withdrew and held a "board meeting." At the end of the conference, they decided to accept the bet, and all "chipped in" to the pot necessary to cover Smathers' proposition. Boralma won and Smathers was out the \$20,000. Temporarily, however, for he does not quit until he has been shown that he is wrong. He thought that Boralma could be beaten, and he was right in the long run and his investment of \$20,000 came back to him with good interest later. He bought Lord Derby, and proved that Boralma could be beaten, and that he could do it with his own horse, with himself in the sulky. Lord Derby beat Boralma, and Smathers drew down \$50,000 in bets and stakes. Last summer the owner of Boralma, still being dissatisfied, Smathers allowed Lord Derby to beat Boralma again, and he was so sure that he could do it, that he bet \$98,000 to win \$31,000. Lord Derby being a warm favorite at average odds of 3 to 10.

**Owns Fifty Horses.**  
Before the Lord Derby-Boralma race, Smathers had told the auctioneer that he wanted all the Lord Derby money he could get—that he would take the Lord Derby end of it in every pool made on the race. As fast as the Boralma money came up, it was covered in Smathers' name, and when the sheet was figured it was found that Smathers' money, \$98,000, had coaxed out \$21,000. Most of his winnings this year have been made upon his speedy runner, McChesney, "the champion of the west." The Harlem handicapper netted Smathers \$80,000. After the race "Kid" Weller, the Chicago bookmaker, handed Smathers a check for \$32,500, the largest check ever paid to one person in settlement of a bet on one race. Smathers' stable consists of nearly fifty horses of all descriptions. His prevailing idea has been to buy nothing save the best, or what promised to be the best. His judgment has seldom, if ever, been wrong.

## BRUISE WAS CAUSE OF DEATH.

New York, Oct. 12.—A slight bruise on one of his legs, has caused the death of "Jack" Willett, the 16 year old son of Howard Willett, of White Plains, owner of Heatherbloom, champion high jumping horse of the world. The lad was brought to a new

York hospital last week, on a special train, in the hope of securing relief from great pain in his limb caused apparently by a slight bruise which did not even break the skin. How he hurt himself, young Willett did not know. Blood poisoning, however, set in, and caused the lad's death.

## HAS LEADER PARNELL FADED FROM MEMORY?

New York, Oct. 12.—The annual procession to Glasnevin cemetery in memory of the death of Chas. Stewart Parnell, was not a success, according to a Times despatch from Dublin. It consisted of two or three bands, three or four dozen "National Forces"

and less than a hundred boys and girls. No member of parliament or of the Dublin corporation were present. Apparently, says the correspondent, the memory of Parnell has ceased to be honored by the Dublin nationalists.

### ARCHBISHOP KAIN IS BEYOND HOPE.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 12.—The condition of Archbishop Kain, is still unchanged. He became unconscious yesterday, and is in the same condition. At St. Agnes' seminary where he has been a patient for several weeks, the physicians report that there are no hopes for his recovery, and that it is evident he is suffering from pneumonia.

### GARRETT WYKOFF LODGE NO. 585, F. & A. M.

This evening at 7 o'clock. Work in the E. A. degree. Visitors invited. WM. M. MELVILLE, W. M. E. H. JOHNS, Secy.  
"Watch the Kidneys."  
"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys. Sold by H. P. Verthum, druggist, corner of Main and North streets.

## HOST FILED BEFORE HIM.

Eligah Inspects the Army with Which He Will Redeem Gotham

It Marched into Tabernacle 3018 Strong and When New York Is Reached It Will Number Four Thousand.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—The "Restoration Host," 3,000 strong, marched in review before John Alexander Dowle at Zion City on Sunday. In addressing 6,000 persons in the tabernacle afterward he declared that those members of Zion who failed to go to New York would wither away, and that their prosperity would cease. The "Restoration Host" marched into the tabernacle just as it will file into Madison Square Garden in New York this week.

Men, women, boys and girls, headed by the captains or the different legions assembled to hear Dowle give instructions for the day trip, which begins on Wednesday.

Dowle announced that he has now registered 3,018 persons as members of the "Restoration Host." He expects that with those now on their way to New York from other parts of the country, the army will have 4,000 members.

## AMUSING INSTANCE OF FOREIGN EFFORT

To Address the Tourist in His Vim Barbaric Lingo--Even Cultivated Paris Supplies a Few Charming Samples.

English holiday makers on the continent have from time to time sent home amusing instances of foreign efforts to address the British tourist in his own barbarous tongue. A restaurant in the gay city wished to impress on the hungry tourists that at his establishment, food could be obtained at any hour. After much labor he evolved the following:

"Meals at every o'clock."  
A hairdresser in the Rue St. Honore sought to attract English visitors with the weird announcement, "Hear to cut off here," while a Paris Royal baker appealed to those who liked their macaroni fresh with "Macaroni not baked sooner ready."

Switzerland supplies a plentiful crop of quaintly worded notices. Concluding an enthusiastic account of his hotel, a Swiss boniface gives the candid information that "Wines at this hotel give the visitor nothing to hope for." Another advertises "Plain and artful baths." Desirous of vaunting the maturity of the cheese, a Swiss salesman says: "These cheese are not to childish." It is well known as the thing to do when visiting the Rigi to watch the sun rise, wherefore a hotel there gives out that "When the sun hits rise a horn will be blown." This kind of English seems considerably more childish than the extolled cheese of the worthy Swiss tradesman.

Having made the usual distinction between casual visitors and those who pay by the month, having resolved on a lengthy stay, a Swiss hotel proprietor exhorts the latter thus: "Monthly gentlemen's will have to pay my fixed rate made with them at the time, and should they absent day in month, they will not be allowed to deduct anything out of it, because I take from them less rate." After this one does not flinch from such minor eccentricities as "Baked apples" and

"Stewed prunes," which fearful and wonderful dishes have been known to figure on a Swiss menu.

In Italy, near Pompeii, the following curious announcement appears in the circulars of a large hotel:

"People will find equally thrifty a complete assortment of stranger wines and of the kingdom, hot and cold baths, stables and coach houses, the whole with very moderate price. Now, all the endeavors of the host will tend to correspond with the tastes of their customers, which will acquire without doubt, to him in that town the reputation of which he is desirous."

The cryptic reference to "stranger wines," etc., may indicate that both native and foreign vintages may be looked for, but why lump them together with such incongruous things as "hot and cold baths, stables and coach houses?" However, let us hope that the endeavors of the host will acquire for him the reputation of which he is desirous.

In a French town much frequented by English tourists, a dentist concludes an advertisement in the local papers thus: "M. X. renders himself to the inhabitants of these towns which honor him with their confidence, and executes with skill and vivacity." One would imagine that a vivacious dentist would be something of a nuisance, but doubtless he of the forceps only meant that he was prompt in his methods.

It is impossible not to be awed by this Japanese official notice. "The trees' cutting, birds and beasts' alling, and cows and horses setting on free at the ground belonging to government are strictly prohibited."

Very often a mistake is made by misinterpreting a foreign word which has two English meanings. Thus a British tourist in Holland was puzzled to know what "Upright ginger beer" might mean, till he found out that "upright" in Dutch, stood for both up-right and genuine. Again "House to praise" in a French paper mystified those who did not remember that in French "louer" means both "to praise" and "to let."

## DAIRYMAN PROTECTING BABIES.

New York, Oct. 12.—Owing to the interruption of railroad traffic by the flood this city is suffering from its most serious milk famine since the big blizzard of 1888. Conservative estimates are that but 1-10 the normal

supply is being distributed and several days must elapse before conditions are again normal. The dairymen are discriminating in favor of families where there are babies so that many are using condensed milk as a substitute.

### KENYON

Defeated by Case School at Cleveland.

Schedule of Games in Which Landick, of Lima, Will Play Half Back.

Owing to the presence of Lou Landick on the Kenyon foot ball team, considerable interest is taken in the games of that college this season. They were up against it Saturday, however, when a fierce battle on the

gridiron with Case school, of Cleveland, resulted in a victory for the latter, 17 to 0. Great credit is given Green, Case School's colored right half, whose clever end runs usually developed in a touchdown. He made two spectacular end runs, one for 30 and one for 40 yards. Kenyon put up a stiff defensive game in the second half, but were unable to withstand the terrific plunges.

Kenyon's schedule for the rest of the season is as follows:  
Oct. 17.—O. S. U. at Columbus.  
Oct. 24.—Denison, at Gambier.  
Oct. 31.—Cincinnati, at Cincinnati.  
Nov. 7.—O. W. U., at Delaware.  
Nov. 14.—Wooster, at Gambier.  
Nov. 21.—W. M. U., at Cleveland.  
Nov. 28.—O. M. U., at Columbus.



### W.B. ERECT FORM CORSETS

The Erect Form, by placing all pressure of lacing upon the hips and back muscles, does away with the ill effects of tight lacing and develops a beautiful incurve at the base of the spine. It is the only proper model to wear with the new Erect Form and Princess gowns. Fit your new dress over an Erect Form and it will be a masterpiece of grace and elegance. Prices from \$1 up. If your dealer cannot supply you send direct to

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No other corset can take the place of the W. B. Erect Form. Accept no substitute.

## CHOLERA AND HEAD HUNTERS

Confront Constabulary in Struggle for Benevolent Assimilation. A Hard Fight.

Manila, Oct. 12.—Lieut. Velasquez and thirty men of the constabulary, were attacked recently by five hundred head hunters of Nueva, Viscaya, and lost two men, after killing 53 and wounding a large number of the head hunters. The enemy were armed with rifles and bolos. The constabulary are reported to be suffering from disease similar to cholera.

### LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

The Erie Railroad will sell cheap one way tickets to points in California, Oregon, Washington, Montana and Idaho, Sept. 15th to Nov. 30th. For information, see agent, till Nov 1st-93 W. S. MORRISON.

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Beware of cheap imitations.  
Signature of J. C. Atkinson

**NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.**  
There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the south Lima Oil Company, Oct. 10th, 1903, at 7:30 p. m. By order of the president.

JOHN O'CONNOR, Secy.

## INSTITUTE

Will Be Held at Delphos October 31st.

A Program Including a Number of Prominent Educators Has Been Arranged.

Every teacher in Allen county should make an effort to attend this tri-county institute at Delphos, Oct. 31, 1903. The meeting will be held in Scheeter's opera house and excellent music has been secured to enliven the program. Among the speakers will be Supt. C. C. Miller, of Lima, on "Methods in Teaching U. S. History"; Supt. J. A. Sharkey, of Van Wert, on "Commercial Geography"; Supt. C. J. Foster, of Spencerville, on "Reading in the Grades"; Supt. J. H. Secrest, of Ottawa, candidate for state school commissioner, will be present and deliver an address; Supt. N. B. S. Heidlebaugh, Middle Point, will speak on "Critical Period in American History"; Mr. J. D. Giessler, of Van Wert, on "Township Supervision and Round Table Discussions" will make a program of interest and profit to all in attendance. Go to Delphos and help to make the meeting a big success. Remember the date.

## WADDELL HAD AN OVATION.

The Famous But Erratic Base Ball Pitcher Makes His Entry Into the Legitimate.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—"Rube" Waddell, the baseball pitcher, has just made his first appearance in Chicago, as an actor. "The Stain of Guilt," is the drama, and "Rube" appears in four acts in the role of a detective. The play was given at the Alhambra, and Waddell was given an ovation.

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

It's a good thing for some people that the necessities of life do not include brains.  
A man spends one-third of his life in bed, but it's the other two-thirds that usually causes all the trouble.  
An Arkansas man was recently bitten by a mule with fatal results. This merely shows that the mule is dangerous at either end.—Chicago News.

## RAILROAD

Time card in effect June 14, 1903, from Lima.

**Trains West.**  
1 Pacific Exp. for Chic., da. 12:30am  
2 Buffalo-Chicago L.V., da. 1:55am  
3 Chicago Exp. for Chic., ex. Sun. 8:45am  
4 N. Y. Chgo. L.V., daily 11:35am  
11 Wells Fargo Exp., da. ex.  
Monday 2:07pm  
27 Local Frt., ex. Sun. arrives 5:30pm

**Trains East.**  
5 N. Y. and Columbus, daily 4:05am  
23 Marion-Columbus, ex. Sun. 9:21am  
4 N. Y.-Boston L.V., daily 1:35pm  
10 Buffalo-Chautauque, dly. 11:02pm  
No. 13 will not carry baggage.

### C. E. & D. RAILROAD.

**SOUTH BOUND.**  
No. 7 Daily leaves 2:10am  
No. 11 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 5:30am  
No. 13 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 5:30am  
No. 8 Daily leaves 12:41pm  
No. 9 Daily leaves 4:10pm  
No. 10 Daily leaves 6:30pm  
No. 12 Daily, except Sunday, 9:30pm  
No. 14 Daily ex. Sunday, arrives only 9:30pm  
No. 15 Sunday only, leaves 9:30pm  
**NORTH BOUND.**  
No. 12 Daily leaves 2:35am  
No. 14 Daily leaves 5:30am  
No. 2 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 5:30am  
No. 6 Daily leaves 11:57am  
No. 4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:35pm  
No. 8 Daily leaves 6:30pm  
No. 10 Daily ex. Sunday, arrives only 9:30pm  
No. 10 Sunday only, leaves 7:45am  
No. 16 Sunday only, arrives only 9:30pm

### DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Change of time on Detroit Southern Railroad, in effect June 14, 1903.

**Going South.**  
1 Daily except Sunday 3:15 p.m.  
3 Daily except Sunday 4:00 a.m.  
21 Sunday only 3:15 p.m.  
23 Sunday only, arrives 11:50 p.m.

**Going North.**  
2 Daily except Sunday 10:55 a.m.  
4 Daily except Sunday, arrives 8:25 a.m.  
22 Sunday only, arrives 10:55 a.m.  
24 Sunday only, departs 5:45 a.m.

Trains Nos. 1 and 2 run between Detroit, Mich., and Bainbridge, Ohio.  
Trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Lima, Ohio, and Ironville, Ohio.

Trains Nos. 21 and 22 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Bainbridge, Ohio.  
Trains Nos. 23 and 24 run Sunday only, between Lima, Ohio, and Detroit, Michigan.

### L. E. & W.

**West.**  
1 Daily leaves 9:55 a.m.  
5 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:23 p.m.  
3 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 4:30 a.m.

**East.**  
8 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 8:00 a.m.  
4 Daily ex. Sunday, leaves 12:00 M  
2 Daily leaves 5:55 p.m.  
12 Lake Spl., Sun. only, Lv. 7:00 a.m.

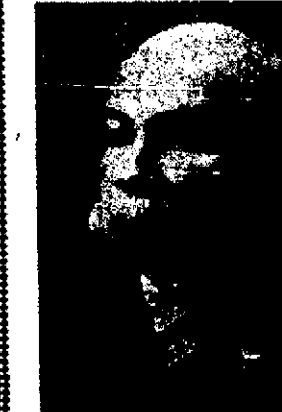
### P. F. W. & C.

In effect May 24th, 1903.

**West.**  
24 Pgh. special, daily 12:46am  
6 Pgh. & N. Y., daily 7:45am  
36 Crestline accom., da. ex. Sun 9:05am  
30 Alliance accom., da. ex. Sun. 4:27pm  
22 Seashore Limited 4:27pm  
8 Pgh. & N. Y., daily 9:30pm  
2 Limited Express, daily 11:07pm

**West.**  
15 Chgo. & West, daily 1:53am  
23 Chgo. & West, daily 10:23am  
39 Chgo. & West, da. ex. Sun. 9:28am  
9 Chgo. & West, daily 2:37pm  
35 Ft. Wayne accom. da. ex. Sun. 5:20pm  
F. M. BAKIN, Agent.

**Foley's Kidney Cure**  
makes kidneys and bladder healthy.



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Rooms 12 and 13, Second Floor,  
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Have you heard of Dr. "T. B. Payton"?  
The Specialist renowned  
Whose place of habitation  
In the "Buckeye" state is found.

If nervous, weak, rheumatic,  
Or Liver and Kidneys wrong,  
Just call on Dr. "T. B. Payton"  
And he will make you strong.

He cures Scrofula, Bronchitis,  
Varicose, Catarrh,  
And when he treats you, you'll feel  
Like lifting a street car.

For Syphilis, or Stricture,  
Constipation, Pimples, too;  
Appeal to Dr. "T. B. Payton,"  
And He'll look out for you.

For Sexual Weakness, Mental Loss,  
Hydrocele, Venereal Veins;  
Consult the "Doctor" while you can,  
He holds the healing reins.

For Impotency, Prostration  
And loss of Appetite;  
The Doctor's formula is first,  
He's always in the right.

Dear Ladies, why need suffer  
The pangs of dire disease?  
Why deaden nature's pleasures,  
When you can if you please.

Consult with this great healer.  
In confidence, supreme,  
And make your life, and those you love  
A sweet and blissful dream.

You'll find the Dr.'s magic touch,  
In sympathy will blend;  
With his scientific methods,  
And a thrill of joy will send

Throughout your sad, the human soul  
And soon you'll be the same,  
As once in happy days gone by:  
And you will bless - is name.

Now young and old come forward,  
And see this great, good man;  
He'll place you in position  
Your future life to plan.

Then onward, upward speeding,  
Life's battles, sure to gain;  
Relieved by Dr. "T. B. Payton"  
From all suffering and pain.



W. R. POWE, GEN. Agt.  
407 Walnut Street.



# FIGHT IS STILL ON

And Notice Has Been Served On the Cincinnati Bond Buyers.

High School Proposition Must Be Settled By the Supreme Court Before the Opposing Faction Will Permit the Plans To Go Through.

The situation so far as the construction of a new high school building is concerned, remains unchanged. There have been several preceding chapters, which the general public is familiar with, and they lead up to the action taken this morning, when a petition for an injunction was again filed in the hope of preventing the sale of the bonds to W. R. Todd & Co., of Cincinnati.

The plaintiffs are John C. Mack, Wm. M. Miller and Walter E. Hess, and the board of education is, as a body, defendant in the case. The plaintiffs are residents of the south side, who take issue with the plan to place the proposed new building on the west High street grounds, and although the common pleas and circuit judges have so far held adversely to the complainants, it is proposed that no steps be taken until the supreme court has had a chance to act on the technical questions which have been raised.

A previous injunction stopped the sale of bonds to Seasongood & Mayer, of Cincinnati, when the premium was higher than is now offered by Todd & Company, and because of the uncertainty of the sale the bonds were finally declined at the former figure. It is now up to Todd & Co. as to whether they are willing to take the risk and furnish the money, before the higher court deals finally with the long-drawn-out controversy.

There is nothing new in the petition, the questions involved being practically the same raised in the former controversy, but it means a longer breathing spell. It is too late to even consider the construction of a high school building this year, but the courts are likely to settle the matter either one way or the other, so that the plans and specifications can be taken up for consideration next spring.

## THREE Typhoid Fever Patients Are Taken To the Hospital.

There are many cases of typhoid fever in the city, and the hospital is becoming crowded with typhoid patients, three new cases having been received there since Saturday evening.

Eckert & Son's invalid coach removed Frank Victor, of 402 Prospect avenue, and Wm. Simons, of the Commercial block, to the hospital, Saturday evening, and Bennett's invalid coach conveyed Mrs. S. W. VanCleave, to the hospital, last night.

ATTEND THE ANNIVERSARY SALE THIS WEEK AT FELTZ'S, 1-21

## PARENTS Prove Unfit to Train Their Children.

The children of Wm. Hennick and wife, and Mrs. Wiggins, of Harrod, have been taken to the home, and will be cared for at that institution until they reach the required age. The parents of the unfortunate little ones are inmates of the county jail, having been sent there for operating a questionable house in the village of Harrod. The authorities have long threatened to take the children from under the disreputable roof, and will see that they do not return to such unhealthy influences.

## AID SOCIETY MEETING.

The Aid Society of the Market street Presbyterian church, will meet with Mrs. Dr. T. M. Johnson, of west Market street, on Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 14. A full attendance is desired as there is business of importance to transact.

## Masculine Gentility . . .



Is dependent in a great measure on the quality of dress. There are other essentials, but perfect fitting garments cannot be dispensed with, therefore it behooves you to place your order for your fall and winter outfit with us if you want to appear at your best, for the clothing you get through us is above reproach, and will withstand the severest criticism.

Highest award at Pan-American Exposition.

Overcoats \$15 up. Suits Same price. Trousers \$4 up.

Your credit is good here.

We furnish you union made clothing if desired.

**J. M. SPICER,**  
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**CARROLL & COONEY.**

**FUR WEEK.**

**Walking Skirt Sale.**

**Flannelette Robe Sale.**

With the opening of each week you will find some interesting bargains at our store. It will pay you to read our ads every day, but especially so the Monday evening ad. We keep constantly in touch with the dry goods markets and are always prepared to take advantage of every cut price opportunity.

**St. Marys**

**All Wool . . . . .**

**Blankets Half Price.**

**Walking Skirt Sale.**

Tomorrow morning we start a special sale of ladies' Walking Skirts. We have divided our stock into three lots. No fittings at sale prices.

Lot No. 1. Consists of regular \$5 skirts, heavy weight garments in black and colors, sale price

**\$2.98.**

Lot No. 2. Consists of about 25 skirts that were \$6.50 and \$7.50. They will not last very long at the sale price of

**\$3.98.**

Lot No. 3. Skirts that were \$7.50 and \$10. Stylish, new and worthy of the careful consideration of the best dressers, sale price

**\$5.00.**

**FUR WEEK.**

Last year we sold more furs than ever before and more [we believe] than any other house in Lima. This year we expect to distance last year's record. The manager and buyer in this department is a practical furrier, learned the business in a fur garment factory and knows fur thoroughly. He made a special buying trip to the fur market last summer, personally selected and paid spot cash for every fur garment we have, securing better selection, better qualities and lower price than any other concern in this city. This stock is all in and carefully inspected and we will begin the fall and winter campaign tomorrow in better shape to furnish the best goods at the lowest prices we have ever been in since we started this business.

Near Seal Coats (quality guaranteed) - **\$30.00**  
Near Seal Coats, beaver trimmed - **\$37.50**  
Shawl Collar Coats, double extra grade - **\$50.00**

Made-to-measure orders taken. Fit, style and wearing qualities fully guaranteed.

**Half Price Blankets.**

Please do not get the impression that because we are having a sale of damaged Blankets that we haven't perfect ones. We are sole agents in Lima for the sale of St. Marys all wool Blankets and carry at all times a complete assortment of their goods ranging in price from \$5 to \$15 a pair. We can show you a pair of perfect blankets at \$5 and a pair of the self same grade and size slightly damaged for \$2.50 a pair. While the perfect goods are as good value as you can find in this country, these damaged blankets are real bargains. Come in and see them.

**Flannelette Robes.**

Men's Flannelette Night Robes at 59c each, is also quite a bargain. They look like dollar garments and we could get a dollar for every one of them if we asked it. One of those fortunate bargains that come to those we are constantly on the lookout for them enables us to sell them at a profit at 59c each.

Children's Night Robes at 29c.

# CARROLL & COONEY.

**TWENTY-EIGHTH**

Annual District Convention of the I. O. O. F.

Will Be Held in Elida—An Interesting Program Has Been Prepared.

The twenty-eighth annual district convention of the I. O. O. F. will be held in Elida, October 19th, and that enterprising village is making elaborate preparations for the event. The following excellent program has been arranged for:

**Program.**

Address of welcome—Bro. S. A. Hitchcock, Elida Lodge No. 818.

Election of officers.

Exemplification of the unwritten work.

Initiatory degree—Bro. Emanuel Crites—Elida Lodge No. 818.

First degree—Bro. E. H. Carr, Deep Cut Lodge No. 311, Spencerville.

Address—Initiatory and First Degrees—Bro. D. E. Baxter, Okonox Lodge No. 291, Delphos.

Exemplification of the unwritten work.

Second degree—Bro. George Stearns, Beaver Dam Lodge No. 689.

Third degree—Bro. N. S. Ackerman, Jackson Lodge No. 846.

Address—Second and Third Degrees—Bro. I. S. Motter, Lima Lodge No. 581.

**Officers.**

President, C. A. Graham, Jackson Lodge No. 846; secretary, W. F. Dobbin, Lima Lodge No. 581; treasurer, Fred Frye, Allen Lodge No. 223.

Vice Presidents:—H. K. Chapman, Solar Lodge No. 783; William Heffer, Lima Lodge No. 781; John Sanders, Allen Lodge No. 223; F. A. Corner, Beaver Dam Lodge No. 689; Stephen Brennenman, Elida Lodge No. 818; Frank Wetherill, Deep Cut Lodge No. 311.

**DANCING SCHOOL.**

Reopens at Armory Hall, Monday evening, Oct. 12. Instructions daily, from 2 to 5 p. m. and 7 to 9 Monday and Saturday evening. Dancing till 12. Lessons 50c. Private dancing parties every Wednesday evening. Address box 254 or phone main 245; new phone 1313.

**W. S. CLARK.**

**QUIET WEDDING**

Daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Doty, the Bride.

At the home of Dr. and Mrs. Wm. B. Doty, 628 east Market street, Oct. 8th, occurred the marriage of their only daughter Effie Fay, to Mr. Guy Francis Wright, of Newark, Ohio, by Rev. Kennedy, of Epworth church, in which church the bride is a member of the choir. They will be at home in Newark, O., after Oct. 15, to their many friends.

**MARKET REPORTS.**

Tiona oil	1.80
Penna. oil	1.65
Somerset oil	1.19
Corning oil	1.45
New Castle oil	1.52
North Lima oil	1.24
South Lima oil	1.19
Indiana oil	1.19

**SPECIAL BARGAIN IN EVERY DEPARTMENT DURING ANNIVERSARY SALE THIS WEEK AT FELTZ'S.**

**FRIENDS**

Give Jackson Township Couple a Surprise.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Baker Made to Pleasantly Celebrate Co-incidental Birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Baker, of Jackson township, were tendered a surprise by a number of their friends, last Tuesday, on the occasion of their birthdays, the former being 51 years of age and his wife, 47. A dinner was served at noon to about 40 guests, and the host and hostess received a number of fine presents.

**ANOTHER CINCINNATI EXCURSION.**

On Sunday, Oct. 18th the C. H. & D. Ry., will have another \$1.50 excursion. Good on trains leaving Lima at 2:10 and 6:50 a. m.

**SPECIAL BARGAIN IN EVERY DEPARTMENT DURING ANNIVERSARY SALE THIS WEEK AT FELTZ'S.**

**Queen Quality**

**As to Choice.**

One of the things that has made "Queen Quality" shoes very popular is that you have such a wide choice. In our great assortment, there are shoes for every need or occasion.

And every design is original, exclusive, the private property of "Queen Quality."

Nearly all the styles you admire originate with "Queen Quality."

From the daintiest dress shoe to the sturdiest street boot we have special shapes to fit all types of feet. Fast color eyelets. Do not wear brassy.

Don't fail to see the home of "Queen Quality" Shoes in our window.

**GOODING'S,**

**230 North Main Street.**

**THE IDLER.**

Will Brigham, who was pianist at the McBeth park theatre, during the summer and who began the winter season in the Fairport opera house, with Prof. Frey's orchestra, left Saturday night, for Chicago, where he will rejoin his wife, who went to the Windy City a few weeks ago. From Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Brigham will go to Hartford, Conn., to spend the winter with Mr. Brigham's mother.

The Putnam county fair, which was held last week, was a big success, owing much to fair weather, which was denied both Lima and Wapakoneta.

**SETTLED**

With Owner for Barn Destroyed by Fire.

Simon Binkley, whose big barn in Jackson township, was destroyed by fire recently, has settled with the German Baptist Mutual Insurance Co. for \$1,087.50 and will proceed to rebuild.

**EXCURSION TO SANDUSKY**

Sunday, Oct. 18th via L. E. & W. R. R. Special train will leave Lima at 2:40 a. m., rate 75c.

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